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FM AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2268

AMEMBASSY SAIGON IMMEDIATE

S E C R E T SINGAPORE 1403

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: AMER, PINT, VS

SUBJ: EVACUATION OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REFS: A. SINGAPORE 1347; B. SAIGON 4286

1. PORT AND MARINE SERVICES (PTE) LTD. WHICH CONTROLS LST "POMARINE II" HAS ASKED GOS ABOUT WAR RISK INSURANCE WHILE ITS VESSEL IS OPERATING IN VIETNAMESE WATERS. GOS EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY COMMERCIAL UNDERWRITERS HAVE BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL, AND EMBASSY HAS FOUND ONLY ONE COMPANY, MOLLERS INSURANCE COMPANY, WHICH IS WILLING TO PROVIDE APPROPRIATE COVERAGE AT EXTRAORDINARY PREMIUM RATE OF 5 PERCENT OF VALUE FOR EACH 48 HOURS IN WHICH THE INSURANCE IS OPERATIVE. HOPING TO SOLVE THIS PROBLEM AND GET THE SHIP UNDERWAY, S.R. NATHAN HAS ASKED

IF U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS WAR RISK INSURANCE PROGRAM WHICH COULD INCLUDE "POMARINE II". VESSEL IS PRESENTLY INSURED FOR ORDINARY RISKS AT A VALUE OF US\$900,000.

2. ADVISE. CRONK

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